10th February 1959]

MR. CHAIRMAN : The hon. Member's time is up.

* SRI K. M. RAMASAMY GOUNDER : Sir, I will take two or three more minutes. I want to refer to some important matters. I want to speak about the Non-Gazetted Officers.

MR. CHAIRMAN : It is already 5 o'clock and it is not proper to ask for some more time.

* SRI K. M. RAMASAMY GOUNDER : Sir, the Government machinery is too slow to move. The Lakkampatti Panchayat gave a petition to the Hon. the Minister for Health some six months ago and it is legitimate that they should also get protected water-supply. But nothing has so far been said on this. Such administrative delays make it appear that nothing is being carried out. Justice delayed to this extent looks like justice denied. Though I want to refer to one or two important matters, I could not do so as the time given to me is up.

But all the same, I plead the cause of the Non-Gazetted Officers. They should be treated with consideration due to them. I thank you very much, Mr. Chairman.

MR. CHAIRMAN : The House will now adjourn and meet again at 3 p.m. to-morrow.

I have also got to announce that there is a photograph to be taken just opposite the Members' Lounge. Of course, there is the Tea Party also.

The House then adjourned.

IV.—PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE.

* 99. *Notification issued with G.O. No. 44, Local Administration, dated 9th January 1959, regarding extension of the term of office of the members of the Ambasamudram Panchayat (Tirunelveli district) till 15th February 1959.*

100. *A short review of the activities of the Madras State Electricity Board during the first half of the year 1958-59.*

* Laid on the table of the House on 9th February 1959.